



PATENT  
Attorney Docket No. 07040.0060-01

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: )  
Fiorenzo BRIVIO et al. ) Group Art Unit: 1733  
10/660,648 )  
Application No.: 10/660,648 ) Examiner: Steven D. Maki  
Filed: June 23, 2003 ) Confirmation No.: 6130  
For: STUDDED TYRE, METHOD, )  
STUD AND MOULD FOR THE )  
MANUFACTURE THEREOF )

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION**

In reply to the Office Action mailed September 15, 2006, the period for response having been extended through March 15, 2007, by a Petition for Extension of Time for three months and fee payment filed concurrently herewith, Applicants propose that this application be amended as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper beginning on page 2.

**Remarks/Arguments** follow the amendment sections of this paper.